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—Locals on 1st, 2nd and 4th pages.

—Council meeting tonight.

—Eli Rosenthal is in Chicago.

—John Hetler is on the sick list.

—Frank Freeze is up from Amboy.

—E. Y. Kailer is a visitor from Sterling.

—H. B. Anning of Sterling is here today.

—James H. Stewart is slightly indisposed

—C. F. Throop went to Sterling last night.

—Henry Faust is down from Rochelle.

—D. W. Baxter is here from Rochelle.

—C. A. Dement was in Oregon yesterday.

—J. M. Bachelder went east this morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. George L. Schuler are in Chicago.

—A. M. Bousengay is here from Franklin Grove.

—Messrs. Klosterman and Kline are down from Polo.

—Miss Gertie Hatch came home from the north last evening.

—Mrs. Charles C. Champlin has returned to her home at Austin.

—Misses Hannah and Ida Buck of Franklin Grove are here today.

—Fifteen bicycles were received by different agents in this city yesterday.

—Fishermen Wamsley, Jackson, Swisher and Wescott are up from Amboy.

—Advertisements changed this evening: G. O. Wendel; O. H. Brown, M. Cahill.

—Oak Park is being nicely cleaned and now provision should be made for lighting it.

—Mrs. M. Ackert and daughter, of North Dixon, are in Chicago to visit for a month.

—James Harper is making an addition to his new home, the Curran house, on Third street.

—Handsome new carpets are being purchased for the office and living rooms at the N. I. N. S.

—Mrs. L. J. Pollock's classes in dancing will meet to-morrow afternoon at two and three o'clock.

—Henry Kalbfleisch, W. H. King and W. W. Kent have gone to the swamps to look for a duck.

—Dr. Geo. W. I. Brown was called to Nachusa this morning by the serious illness of Mrs. Hiram Uhl.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Sarles, of Amboy, are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houston.

—The new boat house on the north bank of the river belongs to E. Bert Raymond and Harry Hamilton.

—Dr. Green and wife and niece, Miss Bess McIntry, went to Morrison today and from there will visit Chicago.

—Mesdames Julia Hooker and Philip Miller drove to Sterling yesterday to visit their sister, Mrs. Echternack.

—Attorney W. W. Downing is today enjoying a visit with a former schoolmate, Charles E. Ihrig, of Wooster, Ohio.

—Patrick McCormick, a prominent citizen and one of the founders of the town of Arlington, died yesterday, says a dispatch from Mendota.

—Prof. C. A. Steinmann's father has arrived from Iowa with the intention of remaining in Dixon. He brought a number of horses with him.

—Dr. Richard J. Nagle has arrived home from Chicago and will visit with relatives in this vicinity before choosing a location in which to hang up his shingle.

—The Lakota Club dance at Rosbrook's Hall was attended by about twenty-five couples last night, but those few enjoyed themselves greatly. Smith's Orchestra furnished music.

—A traveling man, who makes his towns on a bicycle is at the Nachusa House. His machine is well braced and made for carrying considerable luggage in the way of clothing and a sample case.

—W. C. Hodges of Ashton, a former law student at our N. I. N. S. has passed successfully the examination in Chicago for admittance to practice at the bar of this state. He is now at Valparaiso, Indiana.

—Lester Street, home from College at Madison, will return there Monday. He went from Madison to Milwaukee on his bicycle, from there to Chicago by way of the lake, and visited at Oak Park and Elgin.

—Rev. H. C. Leland purchased in Chicago this week one hundred and thirty-one new books, to be added to the library of the Baptist Sunday School, increasing the collection to about three hundred volumes.

—An interesting feature of the Rock River Assembly program for this year will be the joint debate in August between Hon. R. G. Horr of the New York Tribune and Ex-Congressman M. B. Harter of Philladelphia on the subject of tariff and perhaps the money question.

—Commencing next Sunday a regular Sunday train will be placed on the C. & N-W. road, as follows: Leaving Chicago for the west at 8 o'clock a. m., arriving at Dixon at 11:14 a. m. and at Clinton at 12:40 p. m. The train will return, leaving Clinton at 4:50 p. m., Dixon 7:07 and arriving in Chicago at 9:20.

—Rev. Father Foley returned from Chicago last night and today is entertaining Rev. Father J. L. Maloney, pastor at Fulton, and Father Fegers of Sterling.

—The state election in little Rhode Island this week shows that the Democratic regime is not likely to soon be forgotten. The Republican state ticket was elected by nearly eleven thousand plurality. The Senate now stands, Republican 34 members, Democrats 3; in the house the Republicans have 67 to 5 Democrats.

—Oregon Independent-Democrat: "It used to be said that the two laziest things on earth were a pig and a policeman, but Old Sargent of Chana says this is not true and that the two laziest things on earth are a woman and a wheelbarrow. The latter won't go unless it is pushed and a woman won't go if you push her. That old fellow is a wise one."

—A dispatch received this morning by S. D. Eastwood, of Palmyra, from L. H. Brittan, of Beloit, Wis., announced the arrival at an early hour of a young daughter, and that mother and child are doing well. Mrs. Brittan will be remembered by her many friends in Dixon and Palmyra, more familiarly as Miss Grace Eastwood.

—Certain parties have been in the habit of dumping garbage, tin cans and all sorts of rubbish along the river banks, especially on the North Side. The city marshal declares that this must be stopped. Such stuff can be hauled and dumped between the bank and the old stone wall at the water edge near the dam; but the unsightly refuse must be kept off the city streets and alleys.

—Critics have said that there is slight difference between a funeral and a wedding. Mrs. William Woolley may think differently as regards this affair of her brother's at Delmar, Iowa, therefore we apoligize. We stated that Mrs. Woolley of Woosung was in Iowa to attend her brother's funeral, and learn to our chagrin (a broad grin from the devil) yet pleasure, that it is his wedding that she attended.

—A project is on foot in Sterling to form a stock company and lease a plat of ground for an athletic park similiar to Pleasure Park in this city, to contain a one-third mile track, a base ball diamond, a foot ball field, etc., with a grand stand capable of seating eight or nine thousand persons; the grounds beto enclosed and fitted up for general field day exercises, gun shoots or any other similar out-door entertainment.

—The Columbian Liberty Bell, whose first peals announced the opening of the grand World's Exposition at Chicago in 1893, was rung at noon yesterday by a committee of school children representing each state and territory, in honor of Rev. S. G. Smith, author of that most popular song, "America." This bell, made from the gifts of all nations, will in a few weeks start on a tour around the world, being rung at the most conspicuous points marking the progress of civil and religious liberty, commencing very appropriately at the tomb and monument of Abraham Lincoln, the emancipator of 4,000,000 bondsman.

—It speaks well for the business interests of a city, when we find no vacant rooms along its business streets. Such is the case in Dixon today and has been for a long time past. The contemplated improvements in the Kling property necessitating the entire destruction of the present building, has made the removal of the occupants of the store necessary. Mr. Wendell has found a temporary abiding place across the street with Lew E. Edwards; but Mr. Rodesch has been seeking in vain for a location for the next few months. He has been granted a few days extention of time to dispose of the few remaining pianos and organs, which his advertisment shows will be offered dirt cheap. Of bicycles he says that he has sold fourteen in the last twelve days.

—The Japanese Legation in Washington has received reports from the seat of war which shows that the entire casualties on both sides in killed, wounded, and prisoners taken since the war began amount to less than one-fourth of those at one battle in the civil war. The Chinese have lost 7,800 killed and about 1,200 taken prisoners. The Japanese have lost only about one-third this number of men, and taking the killed, wounded, and prisoners on both sides they do not figure up more than 15,000 men taken from the fighting strenght of the two armies. At the battle of Gettsburg alone the Confederates lost 40,000 in killed, wounded, and prisoners, and the Union army lost about 23,000 men. The war in the Orient may be a very exciting one, but it certainly has not the terrible earnestness of our late civil war.

—George Jacob Schweinfurth, the famous pseudo Christ, near Rockford, is getting pretty badly scared over the $50,000 damage suit brought against him by George W. Coudrey of Chicago, and which was set for trial in Judge Dunne's court in that city yesterday. He drove to Rockford yesterday morning, and filed a bill of sale to two of the inmates of his harem, of all his personal property, including works of art, library, furniture, wardrobe and all his effects, even to the old black horse and phaeton in which he drove to town. The sum ostensibly paid for the outfit is a thousand dollars. Of course if Coudrey does succed in getting a judgment this document, executed a month ago, will not be worth the paper it is written on, for it appears plainly that the transfer is a fraudulent one, made to get out of the payment of a debt, after the suit was started, and will therefore not hold water.

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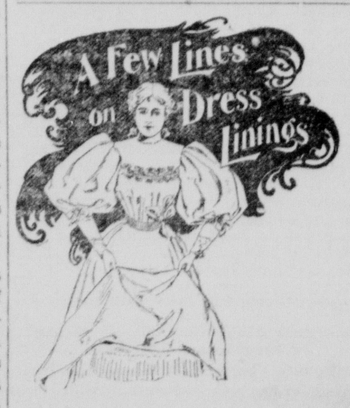
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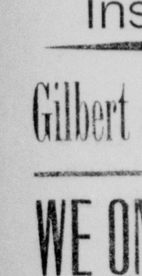
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Shoes, Men's bal. and congress,	99c
Rolling Pins,	4c
Turkish Towels, per pair,	14c
Rockford Socks, per pair,	6c
1 dozen Collar Buttons,	4c
Key-Stone Ringer,	199c
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—Mrs. William Baker is ill.

—Miss Ethel Crawford is visiting in Sublette.

—George Fletcher was in Chicago yesterday.

—Mr. Schmucker, of Franklin Grove, is here on business.

—George M. Crombie, of Lee Centre, is the guest of W. M. Brown, of North Dixon.

—Patrick Coffey takes Frank Morrison's place with the Dixon Power and Lighting Company.

—The new porch on the J. W. Kelley residence, East First street, is to be a double decked affair.

—The weather begins to show up a spring like sort of a temperature. We hope that April will make March ashamed of itself.

—Wm. E. Breed, at one time a leading citizen of South Dixon, arrived in our city yesterday and was shaking hands with neighbors of a score or so years since.

—The League of young people,s societies of the Lutheran church of Northern Illinois will meet here in Dixon at St. Paul's church the first and second weeks in May of this year.

—James Swan and Mr. Berhant of Harmon reached this city yesterday in a delapidated condition. The former's face was badly cut and the latter's head was scratched. Their team had been frightened enroute and overturning the buggy, threw the men out. The buggy top was torn off.

—Harper's Bazar for March 23d contains, in addition to a full budget of spring fashions in text, illustrations and pattern-sheet diagrams, a fine drawing of a "between-seasons" costume from Worth one of the last which left the work-rooms of the famous designer before his death. An interesting sketch of Worth is given in the literary column of the paper.

—A new musical burlesque, "Little Robinson Crusoe," will be the summer attraction at the Schiller theatre, and it will be a most conspicuous feature in the popular entertainment provided for the summer. That popular favorite Eddie Foy will be the special star of the piece, and the accomplished comedienne Marie Dressler, who was with the Camille D'Arville Opera Company, will have a strong part in it. The company will include nearly one hundred people, and Manager Prior promises a superb production.

—"The Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc," beginning in Harper's Magazine for April, will show Joan as a daughter of the people; the incidents of her girlhood among her rustic playmates and in the midst of bucolic associations; her childish superstitions, peopling her earth with strange presences suggested by fairy folklore and stories of the saints; her distressful solicitudes for her country, fed constantly by tidings of defeat that pierced her heart and opened there the fountain of prophecy; the heavenly voices and visions that nourished the people of deliverance that should surely come through her; her conquest of a corrupt court; her martial triumphs; her betrayal and martyrdom. In the literature of the year nothing will be more noteworthy than this romance.

—We have received a copy of the "Little Casino" Base-Ball Schedule for 1895, a publication which every baseball editor in the country welcomes. This handy and useful little volume is of vest-pocket size, printed on fine paper with a leatherette cover, and in addition to the official schedule of the National League games at home and abroad, has blank spaces for keeping the scores of each day's games, together with hits, errors, and names of pitchers of each contest. The book also contains the names of the League presidents, managers, captains and umpires, and a large amount of reliable and useful statistical matter that makes it an invaluable hand book for every lover of the National game. Price of book 10 cents. Emil Grossman & Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

—The lecture yesterday afternoon at the Universalist church, on the subject of "Health" by Mrs. Ida Warrener Saunders was listened to attentively by an intelligent audience. The speaker thoroughly understands her subject and expresses herself with ease and fluency. She reviewed the physical conditions of American women as compared with the women of Germany, England and France, showing the reasons why the health of American women falls below the health standard of those nations. With colored plates she illustrated clearly the functional offices of the various organs of the body, their relation to one another, courses of disease and conditions neccessary to health. The lecture was one that would be very instructive to ladies both young and old. Her second lecture to ladies on the subject "The New Woman," will be given at the same place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Admission free.

ON A SILVER BASIS.

Democrats of the Prairie State to Reorganize.

CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN JUNE.

At Which, Says Hinrichsen, the Party Will Declare for the Most Radical Free Silver Policy, and the National Organization Will Follow—Results That Are Expected—Minnesota Democrats Have a Free Trade Plan to Embrace All Opponents of Protection.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., April 5.—The Democratic state central committee of Illinois, at a special meeting yesterday, decided to call a state convention to meet at Springfield on June 4 next. Chairman Hinrichsen in opening the meeting said the object was to take some action on the currency question, in order to give the Democratic party of Illinois some expression of the state central committee on this momentous question as a guide for voters. The Democrats of the state, he said, were demanding an expression on the silver question from the committee, and this special meeting had been called to decide what ought to be done.

Dr. Watson here introduced a resolution for a convention, the basis of representation to be one delegate for every 300 votes or fraction of 150 votes cast for Claggett for treasurer last fall, which was adopted.

Currency the Only National Issue.

Following is the important part of the address to be issued "To the Democracy of Illinois:"

"The only national question now before the American people is that of the currency. The war is over. The force bill is repealed, never to be re-enacted. Tariff legislation of a general character will not be attempted for several years. The next national campaign must be fought out with the currency as the issue between the parties, and it behooves the Democratic party as a party to assume a decided position on this question and draw its party lines according to the wishes of the majority of its members. The basic principles of Democracy forbid the decision of important questions by the party leaders without instructions from the people." Therefore the committee calls on Democrats to announce their principles through precinct, township, and county meetings, and finally in state convention.

Hinrichsen Outlines the Situation.

Chairman Hinrichsen gave out an interview of some length in regard to the matter in which he says he is in receipt of information from every county in the state, outside of Cook, which convinces him that 90 per cent. of the Democracy favors free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 without waiting for the action of any foreign government. He thinks the resolutions of the county conventions will be in line with this feeling. He does not think the plan will commit the party to a fiat currency or cause the disappearance of all the gold from circulation, thus sending it to a premium. On the contrary the object of the movement is to prevent that very thing.

How It Will Be Prevented.

"This movement," said Hinrichsen, "will spread from Illinois to every state in the Union, and long before the election comes around it will be evident that the congress to be chosen in '96 will pass a 16-to-1 free coinage act. When the capitalists realize this they will begin to purchase silver bullion, which can now be bought for, say, 55 cents for 412½ grains. Sure profit of 45 cents will bring out all the gold from its hiding places. The result will be the price of silver will rise steadily and when the law goes into effect the question of parity will be settled."

Will Fall Over Each Other.

Hinrichson said silver buyers would fall over each other in their eagerness to get a share of the prospective profit. A few leading Democrats might be driven out of the party by the new movement, but most of them will go with the tide. Republicans were pledged to monometallism, he said, and thousands would desert that party for the Democracy. The independent silver party was begun at the wrong end. A few men in Washington could not control 12,000,000 voters. "Free silver men of all parties must come to the Democracy, and with our objectionable statesmen eliminated the confidence of the people in the Democratic party will be strengthened and confirmed."

MINNESOTANS HAVE A PLAN ALSO.

Will Appeal to All Who Oppose Protection and Advocate Free Trade.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 5.—The State Democratic association is at work on a great political scheme. It is the formation of a free trade party which shall embrace the whole country. The association has sent out circulars inviting a conference of all believers in free trade to be held in Chicago during the first week in October. The circulars are not sent to Democrats alone, but to everybody and every organization which is opposed to protection. This takes in the single tax clubs and other organizations of that character.

Senators Brice and Gorman are to be left out, and it is even possible that Tammany will be ignored, since the association is impressed with the idea that the Reform Democratic club of New York, headed by ex-Secretary Fairchild, is more likely to be in harmony with its views. A large number of invitations have already been sent to prominent persons asking them to prepare speeches for the occasion. Among these are ex-Congressman Wilson, now postmaster general; Tom L. Johnson; Judge Maguire, the single tax advocate of California; Henry George, O. M. Hall and Jerry Simpson.

This list develops to some extent the scope which the movement is expected to assume. Its projectors believe that it will be the beginning of the formation of a great free trade party; that it will swallow up the better element of the Democratic party, leaving the tariff-for-revenue Democrats out. The movement is claimed to have the endorsement of President Cleveland, Secretary Carlisle, and many other leaders in the party.

"SOUND MONEY" MEN NOT IDLE.

Resolutions Adopted at Memphis Calling a Convention of Southerners.

MEMPHIS, April 5.—A sound money movement has been started here which is likely to be far reaching in its results. At a largely attended meeting of committees from the Cotton, Merchants' and Lumbermens' exchanges, the Manufacturers' association and Young Men's Business League, the following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, That a convention is hereby called to assemble at Memphis, Tenn., on Tuesday May 23, 1895, to be composed of delegates chosen by the people of the southern states who believe in the necessity of a sound and stable currency and better banking facilities, in order to fully restore and in the future to maintain prosperity among the people; and to this end the co-operation of all commercial, manufacturing, agricultural and industrial organizations, as well as the co-operation of all good citizens, is hereby earnestly invited."

The chairman of the meeting appointed a committee of fifteen to carry out the objects contemplated in calling the convention. The meeting was addressed by Representative Patterson, of this district, who assured the meeting that Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle would visit the city in May for the purpose of discussing financial questions before the convention, and that the movement had the hearty endorsement of President Cleveland.

Winslow's Majority Increases.

MILWAUKEE, April 5.—Reports on the supreme court election indicate gains on the part of Winslow over Clementson that will give the former a majority of from 4,000 to 5,000.

"SAINT TERESA" IS RAISING CAIN.

A Mexican Alleged Miracle Worker Makes Much Trouble.

GALVESTON, Tex., April 5.—A letter to The News from Presidio, Tex., on the Rio Grande, tells of an incipient insurrection among the Mexican fanatics. There is no wire communication with Presidio. The trouble which has been brewing among the Mexicans on the border over the person known as "Saint Teresa," who claims power to perform miracles, broke out again this week. The "Saint Teresa" has been declared by many to be a man, and therefore a fraud. The more ignorant of the Mexicans are greatly stirred up about the matter.

The miniature revolution which took place at Mulatto has culminated at Ojinango (Presidio del Norte), Mexico. The prisoners taken at Mulatto were incarcerated in jail at Ojinango. The hunchback leader of the saint's party demanded the surrender of the prisoners, and upon being refused he sent word to Ojinango that he would use force to obtain them. Suiting his action to his words the hunchback started with an armed force of 150 men. The authorities, hearing of his approach, started a force to meet him and in the fight which ensued—which was kept up until dark—eight were reported dead on both sides and several wounded.

The authorities retreated to Ojinango, and the hunchback remained outside the walls of the city threatening for three days, and Ojinango is in a state of siege. The women and children have crossed the Rio Grande into Texas for safety. Fifty gen d'armes have centered at Ojinango, and by today troops from Chihuahua will be on the scene of action. In the meantime four rangers appeared on this side of the Rio Grande under the command of Sergeant Kirckevir, and will see that things are quiet among the many Mexicans living on this side of the river.

TAMPERED WITH THE JURY.

No Doubt of Bribery in the Trial of the Taylor Brothers.

CARROLLTON, Mo., April 5.—The Taylor jury is still out without any immediate prospects of its members coming to an agreement as to the guilt of the accused in the murder of the Meeks family. It is learned that the jury stands seven for conviction and five against.

There is now no doubt that the jury has been tampered with. Sidney Miller, prosecuting attorney of Carroll county, has received a statement from Charles Dickinson, who was on the panel from which the jury was chosen. Dickinson swears that before the trial began J. S. Williams, cashier of the Bank of Tina, and Richard Smith, brother-in-law of Juror Hudson, offered him big money if he would hang the jury if he was selected.

Dickinson is one of the most reputable men in the country. Marshal Wilson was asked if he apprehended danger from mob violence in the jury should fail to agree, and said: "Well, you can't tell what will happen." Bill Taylor says if he is acquitted he will return to Browning. "Do you think he would," was asked. "Well, if he did he would last just as long as it would take us to find a rope to hang him."

Found a Leak in Grain Reports.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Secretary Morton, in order to prevent the monthly grain reports of the agricultural department from getting to speculators in advance, has made changes in forty-four of the state agencies and further measures will be taken to prevent leaks. Recently Secretary Morton set a trap and found that there was a "leak" because some incorrect figures, left where they could be seen by the suspects, appeared in the papers next morning. Secretary Morton says that any pretended advance information which may leak out in the future is likely to be equally unreliable.

Legislation for Wisconsin.

MADISON, April 5.—In the assembly the county option bill which was recommended for indefinite postponement was made the special order for today. The joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment to allow women to vote was made special for next Wednesday. The engineers' bill was amended several times and then ordered to a third reading. In the senate the committee on state affairs reported favorably on the appointment of Halford Erickson as labor commissioner and the appointment was confirmed unanimously.

They Forced Him to Leave Town.

PANA, Ills., April 5.—A dignified gentleman, neatly dressed and appearing about 60 years old, but who said he was considerably younger, arrived here Tuesday evening saying he had just come from San Francisco and was on his way to Springfield. He acted like an insane person, claimed that he was the richest man in Sangamon county and denounced Abraham Lincoln. He was sent out of town by force, going east on a train. He displayed considerable cash and spent liberally.

Took a Drunken Man for a Burglar.

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., April 5.—Professor W. E. Reynolds shot and killed Pat Shea, a young man of this county, who was on Reynolds' front porch at midnight and whom Reynolds thought was a burglar. It appears, however, that Shea was in an intoxicated condition and did not know what he was doing. He was shot in the neck with a double-barreled shotgun. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of justifiable homicide.

NEVER SURRENDER.

Venezuela Prepared to Fight for Her Territory.

WILL NOT YIELD AN INCH OF LAND.

Preferring to Go Out of Existence as a Nation Rather Than Let John Bull Have the Disputed Acres—Status of Uncle Sam at This Date—Position of Great Britain, as Understood, Stated in Three Propositions.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—It is stated by persons in a position to speak with authority that as soon as Venezuela is convinced that Great Britain has finally decided not to arbitrate or settle the boundary dispute as suggested by the United States through Ambassador Bayard, the southern republic will regretfully but resolutely resort to what she regards as her only recourse, a resort to force. Venezuela fully recognizes to great military strength of Great Britain, but it is declared that her people are ready to see their homes and their cities desolated and laid in ashes rather than submit to what they regard as national dishonor. It is said that the contention with Great Britain is not so much one of territory as of the sentiment and honor involved.

Annihilation Before Subjugation.

So firmly impressed have the people become with this that opinion is expressed that they would rather see their country go out of existence than pass into the practical control of a foreign power. Little doubt is felt under these circumstances that Venezuela will forcibly assert her rights to the disputed Orinoco territory as soon as Great Britain's rejection of a settlement is definitely communicated. This territory extends about 150 miles along the coast, running back thirty-five miles to what is known as the Schomberg line. Through the middle of this strip runs the Orinoco river, commanding the commerce of the interior of South America. Great Britain is already well intrenched there with a naval station at the mouth of the river.

Progress of Uncle Sam's Interest.

The interest of the United States in the controversy has progressed steadily in recent days. It began with the friendly suggestion through Bayard, and a request from congress, that Great Britain submit the matter to arbitration. The United States squadron under Admiral Meade was accorded an ovation at Venezuelan ports quite recently, and steps were taken to commemorate the Monroe Doctrine by erecting a statue to President Monroe at the capital of Venezuela. Within recent days Venezuela has granted large concessions of the Orinoco country to citizens of the United States. A strong hope seems to be entertained on the part of Venezuela that the United States will not stand idly by if a resort to force is made.

An Arbitration Proposition Ignored.

It is understood that the position of Great Britain in declining the suggestion of the United States for the settlement of the trouble with Venezuela is substantially as follows: First, Great Britain takes the position that the question of arbitration was once before proposed by Venezuela. At that time the foreign office gave the subject most careful consideration and then submitted a reply embodying a proposition to arbitrate certain definite subjects of controversy. To this proposition, Venezuela has never made a reply, either accepting or rejecting. Under these circumstances it is not desirable to proceed to a second proposition of arbitration, when the first remains unanswered.

Two's Company, Three's a Crowd.

Second, in any event there are certain portions of territory to which Venezuela lays claim which under no circumstances will be made the subject of arbitration, as they are recognized portions of the British domain and are not, therefore a subject on which the judgment of arbitrators could be invoked. Third, the subject matter is one between Great Britain and Venezuela, so that the good offices of the United States are not regarded as essential to a settlement, as it is not understood that the United States has assumed a protectorate over Venezuela, or has other interest than that of a friendly power.

HER PRESENTIMENT FULFILLED.

Leaves His Wife Laughing and Goes to Meet a Terrible Death.

LOUISVILLE, April 5.—Joseph J. Wills, head engineer of the Loulsville Veneer Mills company, at Campbell and Fulton streets, met his death in a terrible manner while oiling the machinery. He was caught by a fly-wheel that made about 200 revolutions a minute and was dashed against the wall and ceiling of the room and his life crushed out instantly.

A peculiar fact in connection with the man's death is that Mrs. Wills told her husband before he went to work that she had a presentiment that something would happen to him. He laughed it off and went to work, where he met his death.

While workmen were tearing down a wall at the jail it fell, burying Taylor Mills, colored, underneath it, crushing him to death.

The Case of Mrs. Helm.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—No action has yet been taken in the case of Mrs. Helm, postmistress of Elizabethtown, Ky., whose office was recently investigated by the department. Mrs. Helm is a sister of Mrs. Abraham Lincoln, and her retention in the office is asked by Senators Blackburn and Lindsay, while the appointment of Mr. Joplin has been submitted by Montgomery, who lives at Elizabethtown and up to March 4 was the representative of the district in congress.

Refuses to Vacate.

DULUTH, Minn., April 5.—Desperate measures have at last been taken to oust Judge Himebaugh from the West Duluth municipal court, which he refused to leave on the election of Judge Hoyt as his successor. The city officials have declined to place his name on the pay roll, and Judge Himebaugh will be compelled to go to the courts for his $165 per month.

Quarantine Against Our Cattle.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 5.—The government has notified all quarantine officers to exercise the greatest possible vigilance in examining and quarantining all cattle from southwestern portions of the United States. This action is taken on information received by the department of agriculture from Pueblo, Colo., that pleuro-pneumonia exists in western states.

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ROCK ISLAND TRAIN HELD UP.

Passengers Robbed, but Express Matter Escapes—One Robber Killed.

TOPEKA, Kas., April 5.—The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific passenger train No. 1 was held up near Dover, O. T., by unmasked bandits, and the passengers of the smoker, day coach and chair car were relieved of their valuables. Express Messenger Jones was wounded in the left wrist, but he steadfastly refused to open the safe in his car and the booty secured by the robbers as a consequence was very small. Messenger Jones gives this account of the hold-up: "When the train was brought to a standstill I opened the door of the express car to see what was up. At that instant I saw seven men rise up from the grass in a little ravine along the track. One of the robbers shouted to me: 'Take your head back or I'll shoot it off.' I slammed the door and locked it.

"Then the robbers opened fire on the car, at least 100 bullets perforating it. I was sitting on a mail sack with my Winchester across my knee when I was struck in the left wrist and leg by a bullet. My arm fell limp to my side. Then the robbers smashed in the door and worked fully an hour trying to open the safe. Failing in this they all went back and robbed the passengers." A posse of officers immediately started after the robbers, and news comes from Hennessey of a fight between the robbers and deputy sheriffs on the Cimaroon river.

The pursuing party, under command of Marshal Madsen, came upon the robbers as they were hunting a crossing and immediately opened fire, killing one robber and wounding another. The robbers were taken unawares and fired at random at their assailants, none of their shots taking effect. The dead man was identified as "Raatlesnake Bill," a dangerous territory outlaw.

The leaders of the robbers were Charles Bailey and Zyp Wyatt, of Ingalls, Payne county. They were recognized by ex-United States Marshal Grimes, who was a passenger on the train. They were formerly prisoners in his custody and greeted him courteously. The others were evidently local thieves from Kingfisher. The delay caused by the robbing of the express car gave the passengers an opportunity to stow away their valuables.

RIVAL OF THE BELL TELEPHONE.

New Company Organized with a Capital of $160,000,000.

APPLETON, Wis., April 5.—Concerning the new telephone company mentioned in the dispatches as having been organized in New York with a capital of $160,000,000, to fight the Bell company, something is known here. For several weeks it has been known in some circles that such a project was maturing, and that several heavy capitalists of the Fox River valley were interested in it.

This district will be composed of the states of Wisconsin, Illinois and Iowa, and the president will be General J. S. Clarkson, ex-chairman of the Republican national committee. The full details of the project will be given out very shortly, it is understood, and then it will be found that capital from the Fox River valley is very prominent in the company controlling the district of Wisconsin, Illinois and Iowa.

Work of Illinois Legislators.

SPRINGFIELD, April 5.—The senate passed the bills to tax legacies, making 25 per cent. of wages subject to garnishee, and placing the military schools of the state under state inspection. The bill to allow coal companies to combine in order to raise wages was postponed. Many bills were advanced on the calendar, among them one appropriating $25,000 for a statue to Marquette. The house agreed to a military bill appropriating $62,000 to uniform and equip the militia. The bill to assess the stock of building and loan associations was advanced to third readidg. Many petitions against the pool bills were filed. The house revenue committee ordered a favorable report on the bill to repeal the laws enabling Roman Catholic bishops to hold real estate as a corporation sole. It was stated that the bishop of Chicago holds $65,000,000 in property in this state.

The Tin and Sheet-Iron Workers.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 5.—James Wheeler, of Philadelphia, a delegate to the International Association of Tin, Sheet-iron and Cornice workers now in session here has preferred charges against Treasurer Horan, of Louisville, and the other general officers of the association. It is claimed by Wheeler that there is a shortage in the accounts of Horan of several hundred dollars and that the other officers are trying to shield the treasurer.

Looks Like Drawing Things Too Fine.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Chief Hazen, of the secret service, has received information from his officers at Cincinnati, stating that they had secured about a ton weight of show bills belonging to the "Green Goods Man" theatrical company now on the road. The bills and posters contained cuts in imitation of a $5 national bank note in violation of law.

More Japs Arrive at Honolulu.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—In a report to the state department, Ellis Mills, United States consul general at Honolulu, announces the arrival there on March 14 of the German ship Independent with 624 Japanese contract laborers, 111 being women. They are under contract to work at $12.50, and two men at $8, per month.

Advance in Wages.

CLEVELAND, April 5.—The Globe Ship Building company announced an increase of 10 per cent. in the wages of all employes to take effect next Monday. This is virtually a restoration of the wages paid before Jan. 1, 1894, when the cut was made. The boilermakers all have returned to work.

Says He Will Catch the Robbers.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Chief Inspector Wheeler, of the postoffice department, says that the inspectors will catch the men who robbed the postoffice at Springfield, Ills. He says that the amount of stamps taken is not as large as reported, and that $7,500 will cover the loss.

The Negro Was Not Elected.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 5.—Full returns from the city elections show that Moses Cravens, colored, thought to have been elected to the lower house of the municipal assembly from the Fifteenth ward, was defeated and George Sippel, a white Democrat, elected in his stead.

Suspension of a Nebraska Bank.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The comptroller of the currency has received notice that the First National bank of Ravenna, Neb., had suspended, and immediately ordered Examiner Howey to take charge.

WRECK AND DEATH

Buildings at New Orleans Blown to Fragments.

SUDDEN END TO FIFTEEN PERSONS.

Others Wounded, While Fire Follows the Crash and Delays the Work of Rescue and Recovery—Ship Chandlery Razed by an Explosion of Powder and Nearly a Whole Family Killed—Six Men in an Adjoining Saloon Sent to Eternity.

NEW ORLEANS, April 5.—An explosion took place at 2:10 this morning in a saloon opposite the French Market, and twelve people were killed and others injured, the building taking fire. It is supposed to be a Mafia case, the proprietor running an opposition place and having won the enmity of the dread organization. The explosion occurred in a grocery and ship chandlery kept by Charles Salathe, and was caused by powder kept in the magazine. Salathe and his family, except two children miraculously saved, were killed by the falling walls, the entire three-story structure falling in a heap of ruins.

Caught Half a Dozen Men Drinking.

Next door to the chandlery was a saloon kept by Emile Poulet. Half a dozen fishermen were drinking in the place and they were all buried under the wreckage. That building being also destroyed, fully twelve people are known to have been killed, but the fire department is busy extinguishing the flames and the search for the bodies cannot be made yet. Archbishop Janssens, who lives a block away, was on the scene promptly, offering all the aid in his power.

Fifteen Persons in the Wreck.

LATER.—Charles Salathe, wife, one child, three servants, and a clerk perished. The barkeeper, Felix Rigot, and five or six people in the saloon at the time were also buried. Several people sleeping over the saloon are also lost, making fifteen in all.

Fire Finally Extinguished.

The flames were finally gotten under control and the work of rescue and recovery was begun, but the confusion is so great at this writing that no further list of the victims can be given than that above. At the hour of the explosion the street in front was beginning to fill up with market people. A number of wagons were on Decatur street and on the sidewalks and in the markets small knots of men were getting out their goods and trading for their daily supplies.

Blew the Market Wares Away.

Their trade was cut short by a muffled sound that came from across the street and as they instinctively turned, expecting an explosion, the walls lifted and came down with a crash on all sides. The force of the explosion was terrible. Drivers were hurled from their vehicles and the wares on the market stands were blown to the four winds.

SHAM BATTLE IN MEXICO.

Defeat of the French in 1867 Celebrated in Great Shape.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 5.—The sham battle in commemoration of the Mexican victory over the French at Puebla in 1867, given at the hippodrome of Peralvillo, was witnesssd by 50,000 persons. The 5,000 troops, cavalry and artillery taking part in the spectacle were commanded by General Porfirio Diaz, president of the republic, who took this opportunity of demonstrating in the field the general discipline and effectiveness of the national forces. The representation lasted two hours, and, as in previous years, presented a thrilling sight.

Among the members of the commanding general's staff was Lieutenant Charles H. Dwyer, of the Twenty-first United States infantry and military attache of the United States legation in Mexico. General Diaz, at the close of the mimic battle, which represented burned powder to the amount of $20,000, proceeded with his staff to the decoration of the officers who figured prominently in the capture of Puebla and Queretaro. General Mariano Escobedo, who captured Maximilian, was presented by the president with a massive and handsome collar of gold in commemoration of Queretaro. Over 100 lesser decorations were given to officers who especially distinguished themselves in the French war.

Meeting of Republican Clubs.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 5.—The attendance at the American College club convention will not be so large as predicted—will not exceed 200 delegates and visitors. Those now on the ground are nearly all from western colleges, only seven coming from colleges east of Ohio. The delegates last night attended an amateur entertainment entitled "The Songs of All Nations," given by the St. Cecilia society of this city at Power's Opera House, under the auspices of the Young Men's Republican club. Senator Burrows and ex-Senator Warner Miller will not arrive until just in time to attend the banquet to be given tonight.

Booming the Cuban Rebellion.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., April 5.—A large mass meeting was held here last night to boom the Cuban rebellion. Among those present were a number of Cuban leaders and prominent Floridians, all of whom spoke in favor of the rising. Resolutions were adopted sympathizing with the rebels, declaring their cause better than that of the American forefathers, calling on the national government to recognize the rebels and all American citizens to show their sympathy with the insurrection.

Suicided on a Train.

MASON CITY, Ia., April 5.—William Langdon, special collector of the Deering Harvester works, Chicago, and agent of the Fidelity and Casualty company, New York, committed suicide with a pistol on the north-bound Iowa Central passenger. He was short $247 in his accounts. He has a wife and one child residing at Morocco, Ind.

Ex-Representative Mansur Dying.

KANSAS CITY, April 5.—A special to The Journal from Washington, D. C., says that Hon. Charles H. Mansur, ex-representative from Missouri, and now deputy comptroller of the currency, is dying. He is unconscious and physicians have given up all hopes of his recovery.

Opposed to Free Silver.

BERLIN, April 5.—The trade congress has adopted the following resolution: "The commercial and industrial circles must regard every weakening of the well-ordered gold standard in Germany as a fundamental injury to German economic life."

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

The Tennessee house of representatives has passed a bill limiting the rate on telephones to $3 per month.

B. J. McGuire, formerly a fireman employed by the Union Pacific railroad, has sued the receivers for $50,000 damages for injuries which crippled him for life. He charges gross carelessness in allowing a defective locomotive to be used.

The California state board of trade is arranging to send several carloads of seed barley, oats and wheat to destitute farmers of Nebraska.

William Nolan, confidential bookkeper of the Park Avenue hotel, at New York, has disappeared, as also has between $30,000 and $60,000 of the hotel's cash.

Governor McKinley will attend the banquet of the McKinley club at Hartford, Conn., next Tuesday.

John Hall, moonshiner, was killed by a deputy United States marshal while resisting arrest at Booneville, Miss.

Obituary: At Oregon, Ills., Rev. Barton H. Cartwright, 85; at Danielsonville, Conn., Henry Hammond, the Abolitionist, 81; at Toledo, O., Editor Joseph Bender, 69; at Carmi, Ills., ex-Mayor Frank E. Hay; at Virginia, Ills., Mrs. Jane Dirren, 84; at Adrian, Mich., Mrs. J. Harrison, 63, formerly of Chicago; at Paris, France, Mrs. Alexander Dumas, widow of the author.

Senator J. J. Hurt, mayor of Casper, Wy., shot and killed William Milne, sheepowner, at Casper. Hurt fired five shots, all taking effect. Hurt claims that Milne was too intimate with his wife.

Evidence in the libel case of Oscar Wilde against the Marquis of Queensbury is such that it is unprintable.

Prince Bismarck recently said to an American that one of his greatest regrets was that he had never had an opportunity of visiting this country.

Smallpox is spreading at Shawneetown, Ills. Five new cases have been reported.

A cat show has opened at Milwaukee with a large and varied exhibition of tabbies and Toms of high degree.

In the Stiles divorce case at Chicago Judge Ewing denied both parties what they sought, declaring that the proof was insufficient. Stiles' lawyers immediately asked leave to amend the bill by giving proof of Mrs. Stiles' conduct since last January, and this point will be argued.

The report that the Robinson Crusoe, in which were Messrs. Ziegler and Wells, prominent New York men, had been wrecked and her passengers drowned is not correct. Yacht and passengers are all safe.

William Lake is the latest murderer to suffer death in the New York electric chair. He barbarously murdered a servant girl named Hunt, near Carlton, N. Y., in October, 1894.

Big Southern Pacific Trust Deed.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., April 5.—A trust deed was recorded in the county recorder's office by the Southern Pacific company transferring all its property, including rolling stock in this and other counties, to the Central Trust company of New York, the consideration being $58,000,000.

Fighting Imminent at Formosa.

LONDON, April 5.—The Times publishes a dispatch from Hong Kong saying that the Chinese army in the northern part of the island of Formosa numbers 80,000 men, of which 50,000 are splendid soldiers who are well armed. Fighting is said to be imminent.

Illinois Epworth League.

ROCK ISLAND, April 5.—The third annual convention of the Illinois Epworth league has convened in the Methodist church of Rock Island for a two days' session. The proceedings are spirited and interesting.

Charged with Stealing $6,000.

PITTSFIELD, Ills., April 5.—J. W. Linville, deputy county treasurer, has been arrested charged with the embezzlement of $6,000 of the county's money.

The Weather We May Expect.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The following are the weather indications for 24 hours from 8 p. m. yesterday: For Illinois—Increasing cloudiness and showers; warmer weather; brisk southeasterly winds. For Michigan—Increasing cloudiness with showers this evening or tonight; warmer weather; easterly to southeasterly winds. For Wisconsin—Showers; warmer weather; easterly to southeasterly winds. For Iowa—Showers; warmer weather; colder in western portion this evening; higher southerly winds. For Indiana—Increasing cloudiness, with showers this evening or tonight; warmer weather; brisk southerly winds.

THE MARKETS.

New York Financial.

NEW YORK, April 4.

Money on call easy at 2@2½ per cent Prime mercantile paper 4@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 488¼@488½ for demand and 488¼@488½ for sixty days; posted rates 488½@489½ and 490@490½; commercial bills 487½@487¾.

Silver certificates, 65¾@66¼; sales $10,000; bar silver, 65¾. Mexican dollars, 52.

United States government bonds firm; new 4's reg. 126½; do coupons, 126½; 5's reg. 115¾; 5's coupons, 115¾; 4's reg. 111¾ 4's coupons, 112; 2's reg. 95; Pacific 6's of '95, 100.

Chicago Grain and Produce.

CHICAGO, April 4.

Following were the quotations on the Board of Trade today: Wheat—April, opened 53¾c, closed 54¼c; May, opened 54¼c, closed 55c; July, opened 56¾c, closed 56¾c. Corn—April, nominal, closed 46½c; May, opened 46¼c, closed 46¾c; July, opened 46¾c, closed 47c. Oats—April, nominal, closed 29c; May, opened 29¾c, closed 29¾c; June, opened 28¾c, closed 29c. Pork—May, opened $12.12½, closed $12.20; July, opened $12.30, closed $12.35. Lard—May, opened $6.92½, closed $6.97½.

Produce: Butter—Extra creamery, 20c per lb; extra dairy, 18c; fresh packing stock, 6@7c. Eggs—Fresh stock, loss off, 11½@12c per dozen. Live Poultry—Chickens, 8c per lb; turkeys, 7@11½c; ducks, 10@11c; geese, $4.00@5.00 per dozen. Potatoes—Barbanks, fair to choice, 65@70 per bushel; Hebrons, 64@68c; Peerless, 62@68c; mixed stock, 57@67. Seed stock—Early Ohio, 85@88c. Sweet Potatoes—Illinois, common to choice, $1.90@4.25 per bbl. Cranberries—Jerseys, $4.50@4.75 per box. Apples—Fair to choice, $2.50@4.00 per bbl. Honey—White clover, 1-lb sections, new stock, 13½@14c; broken comb, 10@12c; dark comb, poor packages, 8c; strained California, 5@6c.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, April 4.

Live Stock—Prices at the Union Stock yards today ranged as follows: Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day 19,000; sales ranged at $5.30@4.70 pigs, $4.55@5.00 light, $4.65@4.85 rough packing, $4.70@5.25 mixed, and $4.90@5.40 heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day 8,000; quotations ranged at $5.85@6.40 choice to extra shipping steers, $5.40@5.80 good to choice ditto, $4.90@5.35 fair to good, $4.30@4.85 common to medium ditto, $4.10@4.50 butchers' steers, $2.70@3.80 stockers, $3.30@4.75 feeders, $1.75@3.80 cows, $2.25@5.00 heifers, $2.50@5.00 bulls, $3.25@5.65 Texas steers, and $2.50@5.50 veal calves.

Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day 10,000; sales ranged at $5.00@5.00 westerns, $2.50@4.50 Texas, $2.00@5.15 natives, and $3.75@6.15 lambs.

ON THE RIVIERA.

Democracy of Distinguished People as It Appears to a Plain American.

Ballard Smith writes to the New York World from Beaulieu: This narrow little strip of France—40 miles or so from Cannes to Mentone and not above four or five miles wide anywhere between the blue sea and the practically impassable mountain chain beyond—might be called during any winter season the Republic of the Great From All Lands.

The democratic fashion of it is a little startling to the newcomer. You may sit at the next table in a restaurant to an ex-president of the republic. You may come suddenly in a public pathway upon an emperor and empress walking arm in arm together; you sit in the next chair in a hotel meeting room to the great ex-premier of England. Politicians from all countries, serene highnesses from every monarchy in the world, great artists—their faces become as familiar to you as those of the conventional people whom most of us have the fortune only to be brought in daily contact with.

It has happened to me, a very plain American citizen, to have had the three experiences mentioned above within the space of 24 hours, together with some others as interesting, and the fortune of it all, the reader being the judge of what measure of fortune it is, may come to any other plain citizen of any land who forms a part of this little republic within a republic.

In a former letter I described how absolutely democratic is the daily walk here of Casimir-Perier, until only the other day president of France.

In the rotunda of the Hotel Cape Martin we are to see a greater man than any hereditary king or emperor or potentate of today, of yesterday, of the century. Luncheon is just over when Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone come down from their rooms and take seats among the other guests before the fire, awaiting their carriage. The venerable statesman looks much older and more worn than when I saw him in London as he started for the Riviera.

The arduous journey in the bitter cold weather which met him in France and its extraordinary continuance here in the Riviera have evidently been most prejudicial to him. He walked very feebly to his carriage, escorted on the one side by his faithful wife and on the other by the hardly less faithful Mr. George Armistead—many times millionaire, who seems to have no object in life beyond this friendship and almost constant attendance—and now for the first time in his adult life looks all his age.

I had come to the hotel hoping that Mr. Gladstone might wish to say something more to the American public on the prospects of home rule in Ireland, but Mr. Armistead pleads that the statesman is in too feeble condition to talk upon politics, and that his restoration to health demands absolute rest from all political concerns for the present.

The ex-Empress Eugenie is another guest at the hotel, except that she occupies a cottage in the grounds, and she, too, takes her daily walk abroad with a single attendant, or more often alone. She also seems very feeble and looks very old, supporting herself with a strong crutch stick. She has lost every trace of her former beauty and graceful carriage.

Up With the Times.

Old Hen—No more domestic drudgery for me! I'd have you know that I'm an emancipated hen, I am.

Old Rooster—You still lay eggs.

Old Hen—Yes, but they are hatched in an incubator.—New York Weekly.

J. A. Richardson, of Jefferson City, Missouri, Chief Enrolling force 38th general assembly of Missouri, writes: I wish to testify to the merits of One Minute Cough Cure. When other so-called cures failed, I obtained almost instant relief and a speedy cure by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. W. D Duffin, druggist.

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S. F. Yinger, Dewart, Pa., writes: Mr. Haring of this place has used your remedy for the piles and recommends it very highly. He gave me your address. I would like to know on what terms and price you sell to dealers. Let me hear from you and oblige. For sale by D. S. Horton.

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—Mrs. William Baker is ill.

—Miss Ethel Crawford is visiting in Sublette.

—George Fletcher was in Chicago yesterday.

—Mr. Schmucker, of Franklin Grove, is here on business.

—George M. Crombie, of Lee Centre, is the guest of W. M. Brown, of North Dixon.

—Patrick Coffey takes Frank Morrison's place with the Dixon Power and Lighting Company.

—The new porch on the J. W. Kelley residence, East First street, is to be a double decked affair.

—The weather begins to show up a spring like sort of a temperature. We hope that April will make March ashamed of itself.

—Wm. E. Breed, at one time a leading citizen of South Dixon, arrived in our city yesterday and was shaking hands with neighbors of a score or so years since.

—The League of young people,s societies of the Lutheran church of Northern Illinois will meet here in Dixon at St. Paul's church the first and second weeks in May of this year.

—James Swan and Mr. Berhant of Harmon reached this city yesterday in a delapidated condition. The former's face was badly cut and the latter's head was scratched. Their team had been frightened enroute and overturning the buggy, threw the men out. The buggy top was torn off.

—Harper's Bazar for March 23d contains, in addition to a full budget of spring fashions in text, illustrations and pattern-sheet diagrams, a fine drawing of a "between-seasons" costume from Worth one of the last which left the work-rooms of the famous designer before his death. An interesting sketch of Worth is given in the literary column of the paper.

—A new musical burlesque, "Little Robinson Crusoe," will be the summer attraction at the Schiller theatre, and it will be a most conspicuous feature in the popular entertainment provided for the summer. That popular favorite Eddie Foy will be the special star of the piece, and the accomplished comedienne Marie Dressler, who was with the Camille D'Arville Opera Company, will have a strong part in it. The company will include nearly one hundred people, and Manager Prior promises a superb production.

—"The Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc," beginning in Harper's Magazine for April, will show Joan as a daughter of the people; the incidents of her girlhood among her rustic playmates and in the midst of bucolic associations; her childish superstitions, peopling her earth with strange presences suggested by fairy folklore and stories of the saints; her distressful solicitudes for her country, fed constantly by tidings of defeat that pierced her heart and opened there the fountain of prophecy; the heavenly voices and visions that nourished the people of deliverance that should surely come through her; her conquest of a corrupt court; her martial triumphs; her betrayal and martyrdom. In the literature of the year nothing will be more noteworthy than this romance.

—We have received a copy of the "Little Casino" Base-Ball Schedule for 1895, a publication which every base-ball editor in the country welcomes. This handy and useful little volume is of vest-pocket size, printed on fine paper with a leatherette cover, and in addition to the official schedule of the National League games at home and abroad, has blank spaces for keeping the scores of each day's games, together with hits, errors, and names of pitchers of each contest. The book also contains the names of the League presidents, managers, captains and umpires, and a large amount of reliable and useful statistical matter that makes it an invaluable hand book for every lover of the National game. Price of book 10 cents. Emil Grossman & Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

—The lecture yesterday afternoon at the Universalist church, on the subject of "Health" by Mrs. Ida Warrener Saunders was listened to attentively by an intelligent audience. The speaker thoroughly understands her subject and expresses herself with ease and fluency. She reviewed the physical conditions of American women as compared with the women of Germany, England and France, showing the reasons why the health of American women falls below the health standard of those nations. With colored plates she illustrated clearly the functional offices of the various organs of the body, their relation to one another, courses of disease and conditions neccessary to health. The lecture was one that would be very instructive to ladies both young and old. Her second lecture to ladies on the subject "The New Woman," will be given at the same place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Admission free.

ON A SILVER BASIS.

Democrats of the Prairie State to Reorganize.

CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN JUNE.

At Which, Says Hinrichsen, the Party Will Declare for the Most Radical Free Silver Policy, and the National Organization Will Follow—Results That Are Expected—Minnesota Democrats Have a Free Trade Plan to Embrace All Opponents of Protection.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., April 5.—The Democratic state central committee of Illinois, at a special meeting yesterday, decided to call a state convention to meet at Springfield on June 4 next. Chairman Hinrichsen in opening the meeting said the object was to take some action on the currency question, in order to give the Democratic party of Illinois some expression of the state central committee on this momentous question as a guide for voters. The Democrats of the state, he said, were demanding an expression on the silver question from the committee, and this special meeting had been called to decide what ought to be done.

Dr. Watson here introduced a resolution for a convention, the basis of representation to be one delegate for every 300 votes or fraction of 150 votes cast for Claggett for treasurer last fall, which was adopted.

Currency the Only National Issue.

Following is the important part of the address to be issued "To the Democracy of Illinois:"

"The only national question now before the American people is that of the currency. The war is over. The force bill is repealed, never to be re-enacted. Tariff legislation of a general character will not be attempted for several years. The next national campaign must be fought out with the currency as the issue between the parties, and it behooves the Democratic party as a party to assume a decided position on this question and draw its party lines according to the wishes of the majority of its members. The basic principles of Democracy forbid the decision of important questions by the party leaders without instructions from the people." Therefore the committee calls on Democrats to announce their principles through precinct, township, and county meetings, and finally in state convention.

Hinrichsen Outlines the Situation.

Chairman Hinrichsen gave out an interview of some length in regard to the matter in which he says he is in receipt of information from every county in the state, outside of Cook, which convinces him that 90 per cent. of the Democracy favors free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 without waiting for the action of any foreign government. He thinks the resolutions of the county conventions will be in line with this feeling. He does not think the plan will commit the party to a flat currency or cause the disappearance of all the gold from circulation, thus sending it to a premium. On the contrary the object of the movement is to prevent that very thing.

How It Will Be Prevented.

"This movement," said Hinrichsen, "will spread from Illinois to every state in the Union, and long before the election comes around it will be evident that the congress to be chosen in '96 will pass a 16-to-1 free coinage act. When the capitalists realize this they will begin to purchase silver bullion, which can now be bought for, say, 55 cents for 412½ grains. Sure profit of 45 cents will bring out all the gold from its hiding places. The result will be the price of silver will rise steadily and when the law goes into effect the question of parity will be settled."

Will Fall Over Each Other.

Hinrichson said silver buyers would fall over each other in their eagerness to get a share of the prospective profit. A few leading Democrats might be driven out of the party by the new movement, but most of them will go with the tide. Republicans were pledged to monometallism, he said, and thousands would desert that party for the Democracy. The independent silver party was begun at the wrong end. A few men in Washington could not control 12,000,000 voters. "Free silver men of all parties must come to the Democracy, and with our objectionable statesmen eliminated the confidence of the people in the Democratic party will be strengthened and confirmed."

MINNESOTANS HAVE A PLAN ALSO.

Will Appeal to All Who Oppose Protection and Advocate Free Trade.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 5.—The State Democratic association is at work on a great political scheme. It is the formation of a free trade party which shall embrace the whole country. The association has sent out circulars inviting a conference of all believers in free trade to be held in Chicago during the first week in October. The circulars are not sent to Democrats alone, but to everybody and every organization which is opposed to protection. This takes in the single tax clubs and other organizations of that character.

Senators Brice and Gorman are to be left out, and it is even possible that Tammany will be ignored, since the association is impressed with the idea that the Reform Democratic club of New York, headed by ex-Secretary Fairchild, is more likely to be in harmony with its views. A large number of invitations have already been sent to prominent persons asking them to prepare speeches for the occasion. Among these are ex-Congressman Wilson, now postmaster general; Tom L. Johnson; Judge Maguire, the single tax advocate of California; Henry George, O. M. Hall and Jerry Simpson.

This list develops to some extent the scope which the movement is expected to assume. Its projectors believe that it will be the beginning of the formation of a great free trade party; that it will swallow up the better element of the Democratic party, leaving the tariff-for-revenue Democrats out. The movement is claimed to have the endorsement of President Cleveland, Secretary Carlisle, and many other leaders in the party.

"SOUND MONEY" MEN NOT IDLE.

Resolutions Adopted at Memphis Calling a Convention of Southerners.

MEMPHIS, April 5.—A sound money movement has been started here which is likely to be far reaching in its results. At a largely attended meeting of committees from the Cotton, Merchants' and Lumbermens' exchanges, the Manufacturers' association and Young Men's Business League, the following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, That a convention is hereby called to assemble at Memphis, Tenn., on Tuesday May 28, 1895, to be composed of delegates chosen by the people of the southern states who believe in the necessity of a sound and stable currency and better banking facilities, in order to fully restore and in the future to maintain prosperity among the people; and to this end the co-operation of all commercial, manufacturing, agricultural and industrial organizations, as well as the co-operation of all good citizens, is hereby earnestly invited."

The chairman of the meeting appointed a committee of fifteen to carry out the objects contemplated in calling the convention. The meeting was addressed by Representative Patterson, of this district, who assured the meeting that Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle would visit the city in May for the purpose of discussing financial questions before the convention, and that the movement had the hearty endorsement of President Cleveland.

Winslow's Majority Increases.

MILWAUKEE, April 5.—Reports on the supreme court election indicate gains on the part of Winslow over Clementson that will give the former a majority of from 4,000 to 5,000.

"SAINT TERESA" IS RAISING CAIN.

A Mexican Alleged Miracle Worker Makes Much Trouble.

GALVESTON, Tex., April 5.—A letter to The News from Presidio, Tex., on the Rio Grande, tells of an incipient insurrection among the Mexican fanatics. There is no wire communication with Presidio. The trouble which has been brewing among the Mexicans on the border over the person known as "Saint Teresa," who claims power to perform miracles, broke out again this week. The "Saint Teresa" has been declared by many to be a man, and therefore a fraud. The more ignorant of the Mexicans are greatly stirred up about the matter.

The miniature revolution which took place at Mulatto has culminated at Ojinango (Presidio del Norte), Mexico. The prisoners taken at Mulatto were incarcerated in jail at Ojinango. The hunchback leader of the saint's party demanded the surrender of the prisoners, and upon being refused he sent word to Ojinango that he would use force to obtain them. Suiting his action to his words the hunchback started with an armed force of 150 men. The authorities, hearing of his approach, started a force to meet him and in the fight which ensued—which was kept up until dark—eight were reported dead on both sides and several wounded.

The authorities retreated to Ojinango, and the hunchback remained outside the walls of the city threatening for three days, and Ojinango is in a state of siege. The women and children have crossed the Rio Grande into Texas for safety. Fifty gen d'armes have centered at Ojinango, and by today troops from Chihuahua will be on the scene of action. In the meantime four rangers appeared on this side of the Rio Grande under the command of Sergeant Kirckevir, and will see that things are quiet among the many Mexicans living on this side of the river.

TAMPERED WITH THE JURY.

No Doubt of Bribery in the Trial of the Taylor Brothers.

CARROLLTON, Mo., April 5.—The Taylor jury is still out without any immediate prospects of its members coming to an agreement as to the guilt of the accused in the murder of the Meeks family. It is learned that the jury stands seven for conviction and five against.

There is now no doubt that the jury has been tampered with. Sidney Miller, prosecuting attorney of Carroll county, has received a statement from Charles Dickinson, who was on the panel from which the jury was chosen. Dickinson swears that before the trial began J. S. Williams, cashier of the Bank of Tina, and Richard Smith, brother-in-law of Juror Hudson, offered him big money if he would hang the jury if he was selected.

Dickinson is one of the most reputable men in the country. Marshal Wilson was asked if he apprehended danger from mob violence in the jury should fail to agree, and said: "Well, you can't tell what will happen." Bill Taylor says if he is acquitted he will return to Browning. "Do you think he would," was asked. "Well, if he did he would last just as long as it would take us to find a rope to hang him."

Found a Leak in Grain Reports.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Secretary Morton, in order to prevent the monthly grain reports of the agricultural department from getting to speculators in advance, has made changes in forty-four of the state agencies and further measures will be taken to prevent leaks. Recently Secretary Morton set a trap and found that there was a "leak" because some incorrect figures, left where they could be seen by the suspects, appeared in the papers next morning. Secretary Morton says that any pretended advance information which may leak out in the future is likely to be equally unreliable.

Legislation for Wisconsin.

MADISON, April 5.—In the assembly the county option bill which was recommended for indefinite postponement was made the special order for today. The joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment to allow women to vote was made special for next Wednesday. The engineers' bill was amended several times and then ordered to a third reading. In the senate the committee on state affairs reported favorably on the appointment of Halford Erickson as labor commissioner and the appointment was confirmed unanimously.

They Forced Him to Leave Town.

PANA, Ills., April 5.—A dignified gentleman, neatly dressed and appearing about 60 years old, but who said he was considerably younger, arrived here Tuesday evening saying he had just come from San Francisco and was on his way to Springfield. He acted like an insane person, claimed that he was the richest man in Sangamon county and denounced Abraham Lincoln. He was sent out of town by force, going east on a train. He displayed considerable cash and spent liberally.

Took a Drunken Man for a Burglar.

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., April 5.—Professor W. E. Reynolds shot and killed Pat Shea, a young man of this county, who was on Reynolds' front porch at midnight and whom Reynolds thought was a burglar. It appears, however, that Shea was in an intoxicated condition and did not know what he was doing. He was shot in the neck with a double-barreled shotgun. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of justifiable homicide.

NEVER SURRENDER.

Venezuela Prepared to Fight for Her Territory.

WILL NOT YIELD AN INCH OF LAND.

Preferring to Go Out of Existence as a Nation Rather Than Let John Bull Have the Disputed Acres—Status of Uncle Sam at This Date—Position of Great Britain, as Understood, Stated in Three Propositions.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—It is stated by persons in a position to speak with authority that as soon as Venezuela is convinced that Great Britain has finally decided not to arbitrate or settle the boundary dispute as suggested by the United States through Ambassador Bayard, the southern republic will regretfully but resolutely resort to what she regards as her only recourse, a resort to force. Venezuela fully recognizes to great military strength of Great Britain, but it is declared that her people are ready to see their homes and their cities desolated and laid in ashes rather than submit to what they regard as national dishonor. It is said that the contention with Great Britain is not so much one of territory as of the sentiment and honor involved.

Annihilation Before Subjugation.

So firmly impressed have the people become with this that opinion is expressed that they would rather see their country go out of existence than pass into the practical control of a foreign power. Little doubt is felt under these circumstances that Venezuela will forcibly assert her rights to the disputed Orinoco territory as soon as Great Britain's rejection of a settlement is definitely communicated. This territory extends about 150 miles along the coast, running back thirty-five miles to what is known as the Schomberg line. Through the middle of this strip runs the Orinoco river, commanding the commerce of the interior of South America. Great Britain is already well intrenched there with a naval station at the mouth of the river.

Progress of Uncle Sam's Interest.

The interest of the United States in the controversy has progressed steadily in recent days. It began with the friendly suggestion through Bayard, and a request from congress, that Great Britain submit the matter to arbitration. The United States squadron under Admiral Meade was accorded an ovation at Venezuelan ports quite recently, and steps were taken to commemorate the Monroe Doctrine by erecting a statue to President Monroe at the capital of Venezuela. Within recent days Venezuela has granted large concessions of the Orinoco country to citizens of the United States. A strong hope seems to be entertained on the part of Venezuela that the United States will not stand idly by if a resort to force is made.

An Arbitration Proposition Ignored.

It is understood that the position of Great Britain in declining the suggestion of the United States for the settlement of the trouble with Venezuela is substantially as follows: First, Great Britain takes the position that the question of arbitration was once before proposed by Venezuela. At that time the foreign office gave the subject most careful consideration and then submitted a reply embodying a proposition to arbitrate certain definite subjects of controversy. To this proposition, Venezuela has never made a reply, either accepting or rejecting. Under these circumstances it is not desirable to proceed to a second proposition of arbitration, when the first remains unanswered.

Two's Company, Three's a Crowd.

Second, in any event there are certain portions of territory to which Venezuela lays claim which under no circumstances will be made the subject of arbitration, as they are recognized portions of the British domain and are not, therefore a subject on which the judgment of arbitrators could be invoked. Third, the subject matter is one between Great Britain and Venezuela, so that the good offices of the United States are not regarded as essential to a settlement, as it is not understood that the United States has assumed a protectorate over Venezuela, or has other interest than that of a friendly power.

HER PRESENTIMENT FULFILLED.

Leaves His Wife Laughing and Goes to Meet a Terrible Death.

LOUISVILLE, April 5.—Joseph J. Wills, head engineer of the Loulsville Veneer Mills company, at Campbell and Fulton streets, met his death in a terrible manner while oiling the machinery. He was caught by a fly-wheel that made about 200 revolutions a minute and was dashed against the wall and ceiling of the room and his life crushed out instantly.

A peculiar fact in connection with the man's death is that Mrs. Wills told her husband before he went to work that she had a presentiment that something would happen to him. He laughed it off and went to work, where he met his death.

While workmen were tearing down a wall at the jail it fell, burying Taylor Mills, colored, underneath it, crushing him to death.

The Case of Mrs. Helm.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—No action has yet been taken in the case of Mrs. Helm, postmistress of Elizabethtown, Ky., whose office was recently investigated by the department. Mrs. Helm is a sister of Mrs. Abraham Lincoln, and her retention in the office is asked by Senators Blackburn and Lindsay, while the appointment of Mr. Joplin has been submitted by Montgomery, who lives at Elizabethtown and up to March 4 was the representative of the district in congress.

Refuses to Vacate.

DULUTH, Minn., April 5.—Desperate measures have at last been taken to oust Judge Himebaugh from the West Duluth municipal court, which he refused to leave on the election of Judge Hoyt as his successor. The city officials have declined to place his name on the pay roll, and Judge Himebaugh will be compelled to go to the courts for his ~~$100~~ per month.

Quarantine Against Our Cattle.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 5.—The government has notified all quarantine officers to exercise the greatest possible vigilance in examining and quarantining all cattle from southwestern portions of the United States. This action is taken on information received by the department of agriculture from Pueblo, Colo., that pleuro-pneumonia exists in western states.

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O'v Lm't	5:57 am...A	Clint. Ps	11:59 am...C
Sterlg Ps.	7:10 am...C	Belle P'l	3:55 pm...C
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ROCK ISLAND TRAIN HELD UP.

Passengers Robbed, but Express Matter Escapes—One Robber Killed.

TOPEKA, Kas., April 5.—The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific passenger train No. 1 was held up near Dover, O. T., by unmasked bandits, and the passengers of the smoker, day coach and chair car were relieved of their valuables. Express Messenger Jones was wounded in the left wrist, but he steadfastly refused to open the safe in his car and the booty secured by the robbers as a consequence was very small. Messenger Jones gives this account of the hold-up: "When the train was brought to a standstill I opened the door of the express car to see what was up. At that instant I saw seven men rise up from the grass in a little ravine along the track. One of the robbers shouted to me: 'Take your head back or I'll shoot it off.' I slammed the door and locked it.

"Then the robbers opened fire on the car, at least 100 bullets perforating it. I was sitting on a mail sack with my Winchester across my knee when I was struck in the left wrist and leg by a bullet. My arm fell limp to my side. Then the robbers smashed in the door and worked fully an hour trying to open the safe. Failing in this they all went back and robbed the passengers." A posse of officers immediately started after the robbers, and news comes from Hennessey of a fight between the robbers and deputy sheriffs on the Cimaroon river.

The pursuing party, under command of Marshal Madsen, came upon the robbers as they were hunting a crossing and immediately opened fire, killing one robber and wounding another. The robbers were taken unawares and fired at random at their assailants, none of their shots taking effect. The dead man was identified as "Rattlesnake Bill," a dangerous territory outlaw.

The leaders of the robbers were Charles Bailey and Zyp Wyatt, of Ingalls, Payne county. They were recognized by ex-United States Marshal Grimes, who was a passenger on the train. They were formerly prisoners in his custody and greeted him courteously. The others were evidently local thieves from Kingfisher. The delay caused by the robbing of the express car gave the passengers an opportunity to stow away their valuables.

RIVAL OF THE BELL TELEPHONE.

New Company Organized with a Capital of $160,000,000.

APPLETON, Wis., April 5.—Concerning the new telephone company mentioned in the dispatches as having been organized in New York with a capital of $160,000,000, to fight the Bell company, something is known here. For several weeks it has been known in some circles that such a project was maturing, and that several heavy capitalists of the Fox River valley were interested in it.

This district will be composed of the states of Wisconsin, Illinois and Iowa, and the president will be General J. S. Clarkson, ex-chairman of the Republican national committee. The full details of the project will be given out very shortly, it is understood, and then it will be found that capital from the Fox River valley is very prominent in the company controlling the district of Wisconsin, Illinois and Iowa.

Work of Illinois Legislators.

SPRINGFIELD, April 5.—The senate passed the bills to tax legacies, making 25 per cent. of wages subject to garnishee, and placing the military schools of the state under state inspection. The bill to allow coal companies to combine in order to raise wages was postponed. Many bills were advanced on the calendar, among them one appropriating $25,000 for a statue to Marquette. The house agreed to a military bill appropriating $62,000 to uniform and equip the militia. The bill to assess the stock of building and loan associations was advanced to third readidg. Many petitions against the pool bills were filed. The house revenue committee ordered a favorable report on the bill to repeal the laws enabling Roman Catholic bishops to hold real estate as a corporation sole. It was stated that the bishop of Chicago holds $65,000,000 in property in this state.

The Tin and Sheet-Iron Workers.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 5.—James Wheeler, of Philadelphia, a delegate to the International Association of Tin, Sheet-iron and Cornice workers now in session here has preferred charges against Treasurer Horan, of Louisville, and the other general officers of the association. It is claimed by Wheeler that there is a shortage in the accounts of Horan of several hundred dollars and that the other officers are trying to shield the treasurer.

Looks Like Drawing Things Too Fine.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Chief Hazen, of the secret service, has received information from his officers at Cincinnati, stating that they had secured about a ton weight of show bills belonging to the "Green Goods Man" theatrical company now on the road. The bills and posters contained cuts in imitation of a $5 national bank note in violation of law.

More Japs Arrive at Honolulu.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—In a report to the state department, Ellis Mills, United States consul general at Honolulu, announces the arrival there on March 14 of the German ship Independent with 624 Japanese contract laborers, 111 being women. They are under contract to work at $12.50, and two men at $8, per month.

Advance in Wages.

CLEVELAND, April 5.—The Globe Ship Building company announced an increase of 10 per cent. in the wages of all employes to take effect next Monday. This is virtually a restoration of the wages paid before Jan. 1, 1894, when the cut was made. The boilermakers all have returned to work.

Says He Will Catch the Robbers.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Chief Inspector Wheeler, of the postoffice department, says that the inspectors will catch the men who robbed the postoffice at Springfield, Ills. He says that the amount of stamps taken is not as large as reported, and that $7,500 will cover the loss.

The Negro Was Not Elected.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 5.—Full returns from the city elections show that Moses Cravens, colored, thought to have been elected to the lower house of the municipal assembly from the Fifteenth ward, was defeated and George Sippel, a white Democrat, elected in his stead.

Suspension of a Nebraska Bank.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The comptroller of the currency has received notice that the First National bank of Ravenna, Neb., had suspended, and immediately ordered Examiner Howey to take charge.

WRECK AND DEATH

Buildings at New Orleans Blown to Fragments.

SUDDEN END TO FIFTEEN PERSONS.

Others Wounded, While Fire Follows the Crash and Delays the Work of Rescue and Recovery—Ship Chandlery Razed by an Explosion of Powder and Nearly a Whole Family Killed—Six Men in an Adjoining Saloon Sent to Eternity.

NEW ORLEANS, April 5.—An explosion took place at 2:10 this morning in a saloon opposite the French Market, and twelve people were killed and others injured, the building taking fire. It is supposed to be a Mafia case, the proprietor running an opposition place and having won the enmity of the dread organization. The explosion occurred in a grocery and ship chandlery kept by Charles Salathe, and was caused by powder kept in the magazine. Salathe and his family, except two children miraculously saved, were killed by the falling walls, the entire three-story structure falling in a heap of ruins.

Caught Half a Dozen Men Drinking.

Next door to the chandlery was a saloon kept by Emile Poulet. Half a dozen fishermen were drinking in the place and they were all buried under the wreckage. That building being also destroyed, fully twelve people are known to have been killed, but the fire department is busy extinguishing the flames and the search for the bodies cannot be made yet. Archbishop Janssens, who lives a block away, was on the scene promptly, offering all the aid in his power.

Fifteen Persons in the Wreck.

LATER.—Charles Salathe, wife, one child, three servants, and a clerk perished. The barkeeper, Felix Rigot, and five or six people in the saloon at the time were also buried. Several people sleeping over the saloon are also lost, making fifteen in all.

Fire Finally Extinguished.

The flames were finally gotten under control and the work of rescue and recovery was begun, but the confusion is so great at this writing that no further list of the victims can be given than that above. At the hour of the explosion the street in front was beginning to fill up with market people. A number of wagons were on Decatur street and on the sidewalks and in the markets small knots of men were getting out their goods and trading for their daily supplies.

Blew the Market Wares Away.

Their trade was cut short by a muffled sound that came from across the street and as they instinctively turned, expecting an explosion, the walls lifted and came down with a crash on all sides. The force of the explosion was terrible. Drivers were hurled from their vehicles and the wares on the market stands were blown to the four winds.

SHAM BATTLE IN MEXICO.

Defeat of the French in 1867 Celebrated in Great Shape.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 5.—The sham battle in commemoration of the Mexican victory over the French at Puebla in 1867, given at the hippodrome of Peralvillo, was witnessd by 50,000 persons. The 5,000 troops, cavalry and artillery taking part in the spectacle were commanded by General Porfirio Diaz, president of the republic, who took this opportunity of demonstrating in the field the general discipline and effectiveness of the national forces. The representation lasted two hours, and, as in previous years, presented a thrilling sight.

Among the members of the commanding general's staff was Lieutenant Charles H. Dwyer, of the Twenty-first United States infantry and military attache of the United States legation in Mexico. General Diaz, at the close of the mimic battle, which represented burned powder to the amount of $20,000, proceeded with his staff to the decoration of the officers who figured prominently in the capture of Puebla and Queretaro. General Mariano Escobedo, who captured Maximilian, was presented by the president with a massive and handsome collar of gold in commemoration of Queretaro. Over 100 lesser decorations were given to officers who especially distinguished themselves in the French war.

Meeting of Republican Clubs.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 5.—The attendance at the American College club convention will not be so large as predicted—will not exceed 200 delegates and visitors. Those now on the ground are nearly all from western colleges, only seven coming from colleges east of Ohio. The delegates last night attended an amateur entertainment entitled "The Songs of All Nations," given by the St. Cecilia society of this city at Power's Opera House, under the auspices of the Young Men's Republican club. Senator Burrows and ex-Senator Warner Miller will not arrive until just in time to attend the banquet to be given tonight.

Booming the Cuban Rebellion.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., April 5.—A large mass meeting was held here last night to boom the Cuban rebellion. Among those present were a number of Cuban leaders and prominent Floridians, all of whom spoke in favor of the rising. Resolutions were adopted sympathizing with the rebels, declaring their cause better than that of the American forefathers, calling on the national government to recognize the rebels and all American citizens to show their sympathy with the insurrection.

Suicided on a Train.

MASON CITY, Ia., April 5.—William Langdon, special collector of the Deering Harvester works, Chicago, and agent of the Fidelity and Casualty company, New York, committed suicide with a pistol on the north-bound Iowa Central passenger. He was short $247 in his accounts. He has a wife and one child residing at Morocco, Ind.

Ex-Representative Mansur Dying.

KANSAS CITY, April 5.—A special to The Journal from Washington, D. C., says that Hon. Charles H. Mansur, ex-representative from Missouri, and now deputy comptroller of the currency, is dying. He is unconscious and physicians have given up all hopes of his recovery.

Opposed to Free Silver.

BERLIN, April 5.—The trade congress has adopted the following resolution: "The commercial and industrial circles must regard every weakening of the well-ordered gold standard in Germany as a fundamental injury to German economic life."

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

The Tennessee house of representatives has passed a bill limiting the rate on telephones to $3 per month.

B. J. McGuire, formerly a fireman employed by the Union Pacific railroad, has sued the receivers for $60,000 damages for injuries which crippled him for life. He charges gross carelessness in allowing a defective locomotive to be used.

The California state board of trade is arranging to send several carloads of seed barley, oats and wheat to destitute farmers of Nebraska.

William Nolan, confidential bookkeper of the Park Avenue hotel, at New York, has disappeared, as also has between $30,000 and $60,000 of the hotel's cash.

Governor McKinley will attend the banquet of the McKinley club at Hartford, Conn., next Tuesday.

John Hall, moonshiner, was killed by a deputy United States marshal while resisting arrest at Booneville, Miss.

Obituary: At Oregon, Ills., Rev. Barton H. Cartwright, 85, at Danielsonville, Conn., Henry Hammond, the Abolitionist, 81; at Toledo, O., Editor Joseph Bender, 69; at Carmi, Ills., ex-Mayor Frank E. Hay; at Virginia, Ills., Mrs. Jane Dirren, 84; at Adrian, Mich., Mrs. J. Harrison, 63, formerly of Chicago; at Paris, France, Mrs. Alexander Dumas, widow of the author.

Senator J. J. Hurt, mayor of Casper, Wy., shot and killed William Milne, sheepowner, at Casper. Hurt fired five shots, all taking effect. Hurt claims that Milne was too intimate with his wife.

Evidence in the libel case of Oscar Wilde against the Marquis of Queensbury is such that it is unprintable.

Prince Bismarck recently said to an American that one of his greatest regrets was that he had never had an opportunity of visiting this country.

Smallpox is spreading at Shawneetown, Ills. Five new cases have been reported.

A cat show has opened at Milwaukee with a large and varied exhibition of tabbies and Toms of high degree.

In the Stiles divorce case at Chicago Judge Ewing denied both parties what they sought, declaring that the proof was insufficient. Stiles' lawyers immediately asked leave to amend the bill by giving proof of Mrs. Stiles' conduct since last January, and this point will be argued.

The report that the Robinson Crusoe, in which were Messrs. Ziegler and Wells, prominent New York men, had been wrecked and her passengers drowned is not correct. Yacht and passengers are all safe.

William Lake is the latest murderer to suffer death in the New York electric chair. He barbarously murdered a servant girl named Hunt, near Carlton, N. Y., in October, 1894.

Big Southern Pacific Trust Deed.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., April 5.—A trust deed was recorded in the county recorder's office by the Southern Pacific company transferring all its property, including rolling stock in this and other counties, to the Central Trust company of New York, the consideration being $58,000,000.

Fighting Imminent at Formosa.

LONDON, April 5.—The Times publishes a dispatch from Hong Kong saying that the Chinese army in the northern part of the island of Formosa numbers 80,000 men, of which 50,000 are splendid soldiers who are well armed. Fighting is said to be imminent.

Illinois Epworth League.

ROCK ISLAND, April 5.—The third annual convention of the Illinois Epworth league has convened in the Methodist church of Rock Island for a two days' session. The proceedings are spirited and interesting.

Charged with Stealing $6,000.

PITTSFIELD, Ills., April 5.—J. W. Linville, deputy county treasurer, has been arrested charged with the embezzlement of $6,000 of the county's money.

The Weather We May Expect.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The following are the weather indications for 24 hours from 8 p. m. yesterday: For Illinois—Increasing cloudiness and showers; warmer weather; brisk southeasterly winds. For Michigan—Increasing cloudiness with showers this evening or tonight; warmer weather; easterly to southeasterly winds. For Wisconsin—Showers; warmer weather; easterly to southeasterly winds. For Iowa—Showers; warmer weather; colder in western portion this evening; higher southerly winds. For Indiana—Increasing cloudiness, with showers this evening or tonight; warmer weather; brisk southerly winds.

THE MARKETS.

New York Financial.

NEW YORK, April 4.

Money on call easy at 2@2½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 488¼@488½ for demand and 488¾@488¾ for sixty days; posted rates 488½@489½ and 490@490¼; commercial bills 487¼@487¾.

Silver certificates, 65¾@66¼; sales $10,000; bar silver, 66¾. Mexican dollars, 52.

United States government bonds firm; new 4's reg. 126½; do coupons, 126½; 5's reg. 115¾; 5's coupons, 115¾; 4's reg. 111¾; 4's coupons, 112; 2's reg. 95; Pacific 6's of '95, 100.

Chicago Grain and Produce.

CHICAGO, April 4.

Following were the quotations in the Board of Trade today: Wheat—April, opened 53¾c, closed 54¼; May, opened 54½c, closed 55c; July, opened 56¾c, closed 56¾c. Corn—April, nominal, closed 46½c; May, opened 46½c, closed 46¾c; July, opened 46¾c, closed 47c. Oats—April, nominal, closed 29c; May, opened 29¾c, closed 29¾c; June, opened 29¾c, closed 29¾c. Pork—May, opened $12.12½, closed $12.20; July, opened $12.50, closed $12.35. Lard—May, opened $6.92½, closed $6.97½.

Produce: Butter—Extra creamery, 20c per lb; extra dairy, 18c; fresh packing stock, 5@7c. Eggs—Fresh stock, loss off, 11½@12c per dozen. Live Poultry—Chickens, 8c per lb; turkeys, 7@11½c; ducks, 10@11c; geese, $4.00@5.00 per dozen. Potatoes—Burbanks, fair to choice, 65@70 per bushel; Hebrons, 64@68c; Peerless, 62@68c; mixed stock, 57@67. Seed stock—Early Ohio, 85@88c. Sweet Potatoes—Illinois, common to choice, $1.50@1.25 per bbl. Cranberries—Jerseys, $2.50@2.75 per box. Apples—Fair to choice, $2.50@4.00 per bbl. Honey—White clover 1-lb sections, new stock, 13½@14c; broken comb, 10@12c; dark comb, poor packages, 8c; strained California, 5@6c.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, April 4.

Live Stock—Prices at the Union Stock yards today ranged as follows: Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day 19,000; sales ranged at $5.30@4.70 pigs, $4.55@5.00 light, $4.60@4.85 rough packing, $4.70@5.25 mixed, and $4.90@5.40 heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day 8,000; quotations ranged at $5.85@6.40 choice to extra shipping steers, $5.40@5.80 good to choice ditto, $4.90@5.35 fair to good, $4.30@4.85 common to medium ditto, $4.00@4.50 butchers' steers, $2.70@3.80 stockers, $3.80@4.75 feeders, $1.75@3.80 cows, $2.25@5.00 heifers, $2.50@5.00 bulls, $3.25@5.65 Texas steers, and $2.50@5.50 veal calves.

Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day 10,000; sales ranged at $4.00@5.00 westerns, $2.50@4.50 Texas, $2.00@5.15 natives, and $3.75@6.15 lambs.

ON THE RIVIERA.

Democracy of Distinguished People as It Appears to a Plain American.

Ballard Smith writes to the New York World from Beaulieu: This narrow little strip of France—40 miles or so from Cannes to Mentone and not above four or five miles wide anywhere between the blue sea and the practically impassable mountain chain beyond—might be called during any winter season the Republic of the Great From All Lands.

The democratic fashion of it is a little startling to the newcomer. You may sit at the next table in a restaurant to an ex-president of the republic. You may come suddenly in a public pathway upon an emperor and empress walking arm in arm together; you sit in the next chair in a hotel meeting room to the great ex-premier of England. Politicians from all countries, serene highnesses from every monarchy in the world, great artists—their faces become as familiar to you as those of the conventional people whom most of us have the fortune only to be brought in daily contact with.

It has happened to me, a very plain American citizen, to have had the three experiences mentioned above within the space of 24 hours, together with some others as interesting, and the fortune of it all, the reader being the judge of what measure of fortune it is, may come to any other plain citizen of any land who forms a part of this little republic within a republic.

In a former letter I described how absolutely democratic is the daily walk here of Casimir-Perier, until only the other day president of France.

In the rotunda of the Hotel Cape Martin we are to see a greater man than any hereditary king or emperor or potentate of today, of yesterday, of the century. Luncheon is just over when Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone come down from their rooms and take seats among the other guests before the fire, awaiting their carriage. The venerable statesman looks much older and more worn than when I saw him in London as he started for the Riviera.

The arduous journey in the bitter cold weather which met him in France and its extraordinary continuance here in the Riviera have evidently been most prejudicial to him. He walked very feebly to his carriage, escorted on the one side by his faithful wife and on the other by the hardly less faithful Mr. George Armistead—many times millionaire, who seems to have no object in life beyond this friendship and almost constant attendance—and now for the first time in his adult life looks all his age.

I had come to the hotel hoping that Mr. Gladstone might wish to say something more to the American public on the prospects of home rule in Ireland, but Mr. Armistead pleads that the statesman is in too feeble condition to talk upon politics, and that his restoration to health demands absolute rest from all political concerns for the present.

The ex-Empress Eugenie is another guest at the hotel, except that she occupies a cottage in the grounds, and she, too, takes her daily walk abroad with a single attendant, or more often alone. She also seems very feeble and looks very old, supporting herself with a strong crutch stick. She has lost every trace of her former beauty and graceful carriage.

Up With the Times.

Old Hen—No more domestic drudgery for me! I'd have you know that I'm an emancipated hen, I am.

Old Rooster—You still lay eggs.

Old Hen—Yes, but they are hatched in an incubator.—New York Weekly.

J. A. Richardson, of Jefferson City, Missouri, Chief Enrolling force 38th general assembly of Missouri, writes: I wish to testify to the merits of One Minute Cough Cure. When other so-called cures failed, I obtained almost instant relief and a speedy cure by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. W. D Duffin, druggist.

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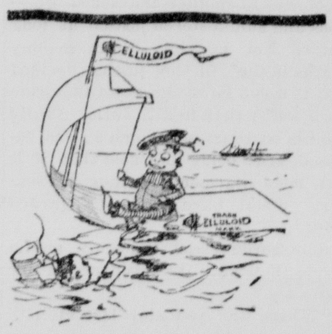
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Mon.	33	35	32	37	31	.—
Tues.	32	43	35	47	29	.—
Wed.	33	45	39	50	32	.—
Thurs.	37	62	48	67	35	.—
Fri.	45	61	—	—	—	.—
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THE WEATHER

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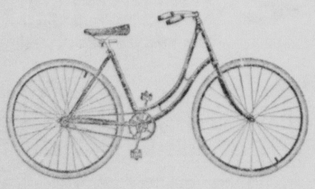
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—The patent stone walks made by J. W. Kelley are cheaper than plank, the first cost to the city when the adjacent property owners pay half is less than the cost of board walk, and we wonder that the council does not order more walks build of this character. There are property owners ready to pay their portion.

—A reader asks us what is meant by the "Monroe doctrine." We have heretofore, on two occasions, defined this. Below we print the exact language used in President Monroe's message to Congress on Dec. 2d, 1823, in which the "Monroe Doctrine" is stated tersely: "We owe it to candor and to the amicable relations existing between the Uniten States and the allied powers, to declare that we should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety. With the existing colonies or dependancies of any European power we have not interfered, and shall not interfere; but with governments which have declared their independence and maintained it, and whose independence we have, on great consideration and just principles, acknowledged, we could not view an interposition for oppressing them, or controlling in any other manner their destiny, by any European power, in any other light than as a manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward's the United States."

Easter Sunday.

Easter Day this year falls on April 14. It varies in date, moving backwards or forwards according to the time of the full moon. The events of Christ's crucifiction and resurrection took place at the time of the Jewish Passover, which always occurred at the full moon next after the vernal equinox, March 21. So the early church decreed that Good Friday and Easter should be fixed by the rule. As it is put in the calendar of the Church of England and of the Protestant Episcopal church in the United States, Easter day is always the first Sunday after the full moon, which happens upon or near the 21st day of March. The "Paschal Full Moon" this year falls on Monday April 8th, therefore the next Sunday, April 14th, is Easter Day. It may come as early as March 21, or as late as April 16. So it happens that "Holy week" or "Passion week," which begins the Sunday next before Easter, and commemorates the last terrible event of our Savior's life, always comes at the time of the full moon.

A Strange Case.

The following police story is told by the Rockford Register Gazette: A tramp by the name of John Dietrich was run in by the officers last night. He is an old fellow who makes periodical visits to Rockford and when here always makes it a point to get drunk. He had evidently not had a bath since the close of the war and it was impossible to get within ten feet of him without fainting away. The officer who arrested him is now on the sick list, and over in the city jail where Dietrich was lodged all night the cockroaches are lying with their little toes turned toward heaven, mute evidence of the powerful influence wielded by the tramp. When he was taken over to the police court in the patrol many people along the street were heard to remark that the Chicago stock yards were getting pretty stout now that warm weather was coming on, and when he entered the room to wait for the appearance of Judge Morrison all the policemen and firemen vanished as though he had the smallpox, "Doc" Rohr being heard to murmur that it was worse than fighting fire in a tannery. Officer Chandler was forced to turn himself inside out and hang over a fence to air before he could report for duty, and when Justice Morrison entered he turned ghastly pale and asked the boys if he looked sick or as though he was going to be threatened with fever.

Dietrich was forced to remain by himself in one room while the court adjourned to another and asked questions and administered justice at long range. Not desiring to cause any deaths in the jail the justice decided that it would be better to let the wide world suffer than to kill Jailor Skully and his boarders, so Dietrich was released, after being informed that if it had been warmer weather his sentence would have been one garden hose.

John Gardner was the only victim beside Dietrich. He was arrested for vagrancy.

"Where did you stay last night?" asked the justice, preparing to give him a lecture on the unmosslike aspect of the rolling stone.

"In the jail."

"With that cologne bottle?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, I guess you have had a punishment equal to sixty days. I'll suspend your fine and let you go."

Gone to His Rest.

Rev. Barton Cartright, of Oregon, Ogle county, the pioneer Methodist preacher of the Northwest, and father of Judge Cartright of this circuit, after a long life of usefulness and many months of feeble health, died at his home on Wednesday night, April 3rd. The funeral will be held in the Methodist church in Oregon tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at two o'clock.

Roller Skating Saturday evening Let everybody come and enjoy the last skate of the season. Skating at 8 o'clock. Doors open 7:30.

Nagging as a Disease.

Dr. Cyrus Edson in North American Review for April: The habit or disease of nagging, although not common, is more often found among women than among men. It is natural this should be true. In the first place, from the time they are small boys, all men are taught that words may be followed by blows, whereas very many women go through life absolutely certain they are safe, no matter what they may say, from physical violence. It is not a question of courage, it is simply common sense, that makes men understand, unless they consider a thing worth fighting about, they must control their speech, Secondly, men, when they become angry have nothing like the fluency of women; as a rule, they can only swear. To nag successfully requires a feminine cast of mind and naggers among men are invariably effeminate in character. Thirdly, angry men generally show their anger by becoming sullen; they "bottle it up." The fact of the matter is, men are forced to learn self-control; if for nothing else, that they may succeed in business, and when angry this knowledge stands them in good stead More than this the majority of men look with considerable contempt on many words. Taciturnity is a characteristic of the Anglo-Saxon race. These, and other influences, all tend to limit the number of naggers among men. It is a curious fact, too, that while women detest the habbit of nagging in other women, men despise it in other men. A nagging man is invaribly a coward, while a nagging woman may be, and more often is, physically brave. A nagging man is the more contemptible creature, for he invariably nags those weaker than himself or those who he believes will not hurt him, while a nagging woman generally nags those who are stronger. True, she is generally confident she will not be hurt, and in the "war of tongues" she has the heavier battalions.

The Odious Income Tax.

Harper's Weekly in a recent issue says: "In this income tax the principle is followed that people who have incomes above $4000 may be compelled to pay the cost of government, while those who have smaller incomes may escape. The minority, as Mr. Edmunds pointed out, may be compelled by the majority to pay this tax. If this is true of one tax, it is true of all taxes. It may come to this, that the whole cost of government may be imposed upon the thrifty. No one can possibly forsee the corruption that would eventually result from the adoption of the policy upon which this income tax rests. It involves all the corruptions and venalities that have invariably disgraced plutocracies, for human nature is so constituted that he who pays will in some way control, and after the people of this country have deliberately divided themselves into classes, compelling one class to pay all the taxes, and making the other class the objects of charity, the time will not be long before they will become willing recipients of bribe-money. The line is shadowy between permitting a neighbor to pay one's taxes and asking him to pay one's butcher's bill. If it be objected that this is a distant and remote danger, the answer is that the danger is already upon us if the people of the country have so lost the character that has placed the race to which they belong in the front of civilization as to willingly accept the bounty wrung by Congress from the well-to-do. Free States rest on free, high-spirited, and self-respecting men, not on those who are willing to cast their burdens upon others, or who permit their representatives to create by statute an "upper class" founded upon the possession of money."

A Letter of Thanks From Nebraska.

Mr. Van J. Thomas, a former Palmyra boy, now a prosperous farmer of North Loup, Nebraska, sends a letter of thanks to the people in this vicinity, acknowledging the receipt of donations of clothing, etc., from which we make the following extracts:

NORTH LOUP, Valley County, Neb.
March 27, 1895.

MISS JANE JOHNSON, Dixon, Ill.

Dear Friend: On behalf of a grateful people I wish to thank you for your efforts in our behalf and also the good people in North Dixon and Palymra, who responded so generously to your appeal. Two large barrels reached here today, solidly packed with wearing apparel of all kinds, bedding, new muslin and calico, hose, shoes and slippers, hoods and about thirty-five cloaks. All are very good and a committee will try and distribute impartially. Myself and wife have served in that capacity during the past winter, sometimes having more than we could do, supplying nourishing food, fruit, jellies, etc., for the sick and aged, whom we always consider first. Dixon will be remembered with gratitude for these favors. I regret very much that one barrel was lost in the transfer to the U. P. at Council Bluffs; a tracer has been engaged to look it up and we hope it will turn up all right in a few days.

From your old schoolmate,
VAN J. THOMAS.

About a barrel and a half of the above donations, with consent of the Relief Committee, came from the overflow of the relief car recently forwarded from Dixon to Wauneta, Dundy county, Nebraska. J. A. J.

The Famous will have another supply of frames for Tribune pictures Saturday morning. Price 29 cents. 82t2

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We have the well known Road King Bicycle. Tool-steel bearings, high frame, narrow tread, interchangable sprocket, M and W tires, wood rims, finely enameled, nickled and striped weight 24 pounds. Warranted, $65.

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Amusement, Business and Local Items.

Faust and Margaret, } Monday,
Faust and Margaret, } April
Faust and Margaret, } 8th.

Garden and Flower Seeds at Geo. D. Laing's. 78&15t1m

Everything goes at The Top auction, 159 Hennepin avenue. 79t6

Faust, Faust, Faust,
Faust, Faust, Faust,
Monday night next.

Buck beer on draught at the Aurora saloon. 77t6

Seats on sale now at Henderson & Co's for Faust Monday night.

First-class Bicycles at low prices at Pitcher's. 81dtf.

Potatoes, wholesale and retail at Pitcher's. 81d1mo.

"Wonder" the best flour, at $1.00 at BALDWIN & SON'S. 80tf

Fine stage effects in Faust Monday night.

Call at the Aurora saloon, 114 First street, for Buck beer. 77t6

Soft coal that burns as clear as wood is nice, and Pitcher sells it. dw

For best gun and bicycle work go to C. G. Smith's, 6 East River street. 79tf

Attend the auction Wednesday and Saturday, afternoons and evenings. "The Top" goods. 79t6

For cut flowers for parties, homes, funerals or button hole bouquets, call on Mrs. B. F. Pratt, at Henderson & Co's. 77tf

David Davis will clip your horses with a crank clipping machine, good and quick. Call at D. W. McKenney's livery stable, West River street 77t2w

Call on the Dixon Ice Co., for pure crystal ice for domestic uses. Leave orders at Countryman's or Horton's. or telephone 101. 79tf.

There is nothing that can equal a patent stone walk for beautifying a home and they are cheaper and last longer than any other kind of walk in the end. 66tf

All ladies wanting perfect fitting dress paterns can get them on short notice and a perfect fit garanteed; the best of city references at E. and M. E. Johnson's Millinery parlor. 74tf

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Yours truly,
82t12 P. H. GRIFFIN.

CLOSING OUT.

To make room for spring goods I will for the next thirty days sell my stock of boots and shoes for cost.

81&16t1w JOHN GRANT,
72 First street.

To Owners and Breeders of Horses.

Dr J. W. Rice, Veterinary and Dentist, will examine and dress teeth on Saturday of each week at his place of residence, 295 First St. Will go to your barn during the week if requested. Charges reasonable. Examination free. 80t6&wt1 *

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KINDLING FOR SALE.

Leave orders at factory.

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The undersigned has purchased of Mr. A. Weigle his ice business, and is ready to enter into contract to furnish ice for the season to all his old customers, and all others who desire to patronize me. I shall endeavor by fair dealing, to merit a share of the ice trade of of Dixon.

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FOX terrier pup belonging to John Rock. Leave at Kennedy's saloon. 82t3

WANTED.

AN apprentice girl at the Millinery Parlors of Mrs. M. Younkman. 82t2

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY,

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A large display at the Millinery Parlors of

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All ladies cordially invited.

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Friday,
Saturday,

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Women's fine dongola, latest style shoes, at $2.00.

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Men's cork sole shoes at $1.75.

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Space will not permit us to mention the many bargains we have to show you.

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W. N. JOHNSON RESIDENCE,

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